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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 6th Saturday in 1907 (9th *February* 1907).

District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday.										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.			
	This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1907.									
					This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect(—) of column 4 compared with column 5.			This week.	Past week.	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
" City & Taluk	...	...	...	5	...	72	...	7	+ 0	65				
Hoskote	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	— 0	6				
Dodballapur	...	..	...	2	...	14	...	6	+ 0	8				
Nelamangala	...	..	...	2	..	19	...	8	+ 0	11	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·79
Kankanhalli	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	14	+ 0	16				
Magadi	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	4	+ 0	96	Ragi	15·00	15·00	17·99
Channapatna	...	...	...	5	...	24	...	16	+ 0	8	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	...
Anekal	...	...	...	9	...	49	...	14	+ 0	35	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·96
Devanhalli	..	...	...	..	2	89	...	5	+ 2	84				
Closepet	...	...	...	...	1	66	...	6	+ 1	60				
District average...	...	...	...	3	...	76	...	9	+ 0	67				
Kolar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	— 0	11				
Bowringpet	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	— 0	8				
Chintamani	...	...	...	...	..	83	...	19	+ 0	64	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	10·00	8·75
Mulbagal	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24				
Sidlaghatta	...		...	...	2	87	...	25	+ 2	62	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·90
Chikballapur	...	...	...	...	...	76	...	39	+ 0	37	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
Bagepalli	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	8	+ 0	59	Kadale	8·00	8·50	8·75
Goribidnur	...	..	...	...	...	86	...	11	+ 0	75				
Malur	...	..	...	...	1	34	...	5	+ 1	29				
Srinivaspur	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	17	+ 0	2				
Gudibanda	...	...	...	...	1	63	...	13	+ 1	50				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	16	+ 0	67				
Tumkur	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	5	+ 0	25				
Maddagiri	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	11	+ 0	31				
Chiknayakanhalli	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·50	8·85
Sira	...	..	...	...	...	60	...	10	+ 0	50				
Gubbi	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	5	+ 0	22	Ragi	20·00	20·00	22·40
Tiptur	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	2	+ 0	46	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
Pavagada	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	7	+ 0	5	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·85
Kunigal	...	...	...	...	...	81	...	4	+ 0	77				
Koratagere	..	...	...	...	...	3	...	16	— 0	13				
Turuvekere	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	3	+ 0	47				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	6	+ 0	29				

	District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday. This week.	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1907. This year.	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.		This week	Past week.	Past ten years average.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7				
		I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.			Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
MYSORE.	Mysore	... ...	... ...	... 6	... 26	— 0 20					
	Chamrajnagar	... ...	... ...	... 17	... 12	+ 0 5					
	Seringapatam	... ...	... ...	... 18	... 20	— 0 2	Rice, 2nd sort.		8·00	8·50	10·35
	Hunsur	... ...	... ...	... 98	... 10	+ 0 88					
	Yedatore	... ...	... ...	... 40	... 38	+ 0 2	Ragi		14·00	14·00	18·97
	Heggaddevankote	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	Kulthi		14·50	14·00	...
	Gundlupet	... ...	... ...	1 46	... 14	+ 1 22	Kadale		8·50	8·50	9·62
	Nanjangud	... ...	... ...	... 7	... 8	— 0 1					
	T.-Narsipur	... ...	... ...	... 10	... 9	+ 0 1					
	Malvalli	... ...	... 2	... ...	... 14	— 0 14					
	Mandya	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 14	— 0 14					
	Krishnarajpete	... ...	... ...	1 5	... 7	+ 0 98					
	Nagamangala	... ...	... ...	1 35	... ...	+ 1 35					
	District average...	... ...	... ...	... 45	... 13	+ 0 32					
HASSAN.	Hassan	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 4	— 0 4					
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 13	— 0 13					
	Arkalgud	... ...	... 10	... 53	... 34	+ 0 19					
	Belur	... ...	... 2	... 10	... 16	— 0 6	Rice, 2nd sort.		11·00	10·00	10·50
	Channarayapatna	... ...	... 2	... 40	... 3	+ 0 37					
	Arsikere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 8	— 0 8	Ragi		20·00	20·00	2·..0
	Hole-Narsipur	... ...	... ...	1 88	... 8	+ 1 80	Kulthi		16·00	16·00	
	Alur	... ...	... 4	... ...	... 16	— 0 16	Kadale		8·50	8·00	
	District average...	... ...	... 2	... 36	... 13	+ 0 23					
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 9	— 0 9					
	Channagiri	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 3	— 0 3					
	Honnali	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 12	— 0 12	Rice, 2nd sort.		11·50	11·50	12·16
	Shikarpur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	Ragi		17·88	17·88	25·35
	Sorab	... ...	... ...	... 2	... 4	— 0 2	Kulthi		13·00	12·00	...
	Sagar	... ...	... ...	... 10	... 19	— 0 9					
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	... ...	... ...	... 30	... 8	+ 0 22					
	Tirthahalli	... ...	... ...	... 1	... 13	— 1 12					
	Kumsi	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 2	— 0 2					
	District average...	... ...	... ...	... 5	... 8	— 0 3					
KADUR.	Chikmagalur	... ...	... 1	... 19	... 22	— 0 3					
	Kadur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 8	— 0 8					
	Tarikere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 11	— 0 11	Rice, 2nd sort		9·50	9·00	11·00
	Koppa	... ...	... ...	... 41	... 27	+ 0 14	Ragi		17·00	18·00	22·30
	Mudgere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 12	— 0 12	Kulthi		13·00	13·00	...
	Yedahalli	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 8	— 0 8	Kadale		9·00	9·00	9·80
	Sringeri	... ...	... ...	... 19	... 15	+ 0 4					
	District average...	... ...	... 1	... 11	... 15	— 0 4					
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 15	— 0 15					
	Challakere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 2	— 0 2					
	Hiriyur	... ...	... ...	... 10	... 6	+ 0 4	Rice, 2nd sort		8·50	9·00	10·00
	Holalkere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 4	— 0 4	Ragi		18·00	16·00	22·90
	Davangere	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 4	— 0 4	Kulthi		12·00	13·00	...
	Molakalmuru	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 4	— 0 4	Kadale		8·00	8·00	10·10
	Jagalur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 2	— 0 2	Cholum		18·00	16·00	21·20
	Hosdurga	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 2	— 0 2					
	Harihar	... ...	... ...	... 11	... 29	— 0 18					
	District average...	... ...	... ...	... 2	... 8	— 0 6					
	Provincial average ...	... ...	... 1	... 37	... 11	+ 0 26					

Note—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

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	Average during the past five years of the corresponding week	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7½	7 to 7½	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	18½	16½ to 17	

Agricultural operation.—Ragi threshing.

State of standing crops.—Nil.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Nil.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The harvested dry crops are in some parts of the district being threshed and stocked. Seedling operation for the Vaisakhi paddy is still being carried on in some parts.

Standing crops are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar, Chintamani, Malur and Srinivaspur.

Crops harvested.—Karthika paddy in Kolar and Srinivaspur; sugar-cane in Chintamani, Chikballapur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda; togari in Mulbagal and Bagepalli; avare in Mulbagal, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur; horse gram in Kolar and Srinivaspur; ragi in Bagepalli.

Estimate of outturn :—

Kolar fair, Chikballapur 12 annas, Chintamani 12 annas, Bagepalli fair, Mulbagal about 12 annas, Srinivaspur fair and Gudibanda 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Except for plague in the villages of Ooregaum and Kamasamudra in the Bowringpet Taluk, public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Harvesting and sowing of Vaisakhi paddy.

Standing crops are in good condition except that paddy crop in parts of the Tiptur Taluk is reported to have been affected with some disease and the yield therefore is likely to be only half.

Crops sown.—Paddy in all the taluks except Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal.

Crops harvested.—

Tumkur—Paddy and horse gram.
Maddagiri—Paddy, avare, togari and sugar-cane.
Sira—Paddy, avare, togari, sugar-cane, castor and cholum.
Gubbi—Bengal gram, avare, horse gram and togari.
Tiptur—Ragi, avare, horse gram, togari and wild gingelly.
Pavagada—Avare, horse gram and togari.
Kunigal—Paddy, horse gram, castor and sugar-cane.
Koratagere—Togari and avare.
Turuvekere—Avare, togari and sugar cane.

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10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Except for ague in the Honnavalli hobli of the Tiptur Taluk, public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficient.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—In parts of the Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks land is being ploughed for sowing Kar seeds.

Standing crops.—They are reported to be in good condition in all the taluks of the district.

Crops harvested.—Paddy is being harvested in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Heggaddevankote, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

Togari, avare, horse-gram and coriander in parts of Chamrajnagar; horse-gram and togari in parts of Heggaddevankote; sugar-cane in parts of T.-Narsipur and togari in parts of Krishnarajpete are being harvested.

Paddy in parts of Seringapatam and ragi in parts of Nanjangud and Malvalli are being threshed.

It is reported that Bengal gram crops in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Nanjangud Taluks have been attacked with insects.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Except for fever in some taluks and cholera in parts of the Hunsur, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks, public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—In the Channarayapatna Taluk, land is being prepared for sowing Vaisakhi paddy.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy, sugar-cane, avare and Bengal gram are in good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—

Arkalgud—Black gram, Bengal gram and sugar-cane.
Belur—Paddy, outturn 12 annas.
Channarayapatna—Sugar-cane, avare, horse-gram and castor.
Arsikere—Togari.
Hole-Narsipur—Ragi, paddy, Bengal gram and togari.
Alur—Paddy, outturn 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Arsikere, Channarayapatna, Hole-Narsipur and Belur Taluks, cholera in parts of the Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks, and small-pox in parts of the Manjarabad Taluk, public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—In the Shimoga Taluk and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, ground is being prepared for planting sugar-cane. Sugar-cane is being milled in the Shimoga, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and in tracts under the Solur anikat in the Shikarpur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Bengal gram in the Shimoga and Channagiri Taluks, wheat in the Honnali Taluk, and castor in the Sorab Taluk, are in fair condition. Cotton in the Honnali Taluk and sugar-cane in all the taluks are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Kar paddy in some parts of the Nagar Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Bengal gram and avare have been harvested in the Honnali Taluk. Cotton in the Honnali Taluk and castor in the Sorab Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Except for small-pox in some parts of the Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—The following are reported to be in fairly good condition :—
Tarikere Taluk—Sugar-cane, cholum, avare and Bengal gram.
Koppa Taluk—Sugar-cane, arecanut and pepper.
Chikmagalur Taluk—Sugar-cane.
Kadur Taluk—Sugar-cane, cholum, Bengal gram, wheat, avare and paddy.
Mudgere Taluk—Arecanut and coffee.
Yedahalli Sub-Taluk—Arecanut and sugar-cane.

Crops harvested and their outturn—
Tarikere Taluk—Bengal gram, horse-gram, cholum, ragi and paddy—yield from about 2 to 10 annas.
Koppa Taluk—Arecanut, coffee and paddy—yield from about 8 to 12 annas.
Chikmagalur Taluk—Sugar-cane—yield about 8 annas.
Kadur Taluk—Sugar-cane, paddy and avare—yield from about 6 to 12 annas.
Mudgere Taluk—Arecanut and coffee—yield about 4 annas.
Yedahalli Sub-Taluk—Paddy, sugar-cane and arecanut—yield from about 10 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season generally good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Except for ague at Yedahalli, plague at Sakrepatna village in the Kadur Taluk and one attack of it reported in the town of Chikmagalur and small-pox in a few villages of the Mudgere and Koppa Taluks and in parts of the Yedahalli and Sringeri Sub-Taluks, public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—Good.

Seeds sown—Paddy in Hiriyur and sugar-cane in Davangere.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn—
Togari in Hiriyur, Davangere and Harihar—yield 8 to 12 annas.
Horse gram in Hiriyur and Holalkere—yield 8 annas.
Navane in Holalkere and chillies in Hosdurga—yield 8 to 12 annas.
Cholum in Harihar and Davangere—yield 8 to 12 annas.
Sugar-cane and Bengal gram in Davangere—yield 8 annas.
Castor seeds in Hosdurga—yield 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

BANGALORE,
13*th February* 1907.

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